Executive Proclamation
State of South Dakota
Office of the Governor

Whereas, Fred Binder began his employment with the state of South Dakota as a seasonal employee on May 9, 1977, becoming a full-time state employee with the Department of Labor on August 15, 1977; and,

Whereas, Fred continued to work for the Department of Labor for 31 years, serving as the Career Center Manager at the Yankton South Dakota Career Center for the last 10 years; and,

Whereas, Fred, his wife, Jana, and their four children are actively involved in community activities and organizations in the city of Yankton; and,

Whereas, Fred is known for his excellent skills with people, his availability to his staff, his professional manner in all situations, and for being a wonderful person; and,

Whereas, Fred has served the people of this great state well, devoting the majority of his working life to the citizens of the state of South Dakota and will be missed by all who know him; and,

Whereas, It is fitting and proper as Governor to make special note of this outstanding South Dakotan to honor and congratulate him as he officially retires:

Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim April 23, 2008, as

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in South Dakota, and I join his co-workers, family, and friends in congratulating him on this well-earned retirement and wishing him a long, healthy, peaceful, and enjoyable retirement.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-second Day of April in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Eight.

M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:

Chris Nelson, Secretary of State